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SUB: GVN NOTE DENOUNCING COMMUNIST ATTACK

REF: SAIGON 3392

1. MFA DELIVERED TO US MARCH 31 A NOTE DATED MARCH 29 TO THE PARTIES TO THE ACT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VIETNAM DENOUNCING CURRENT COMMUNIST OFFENSIVE. NOTE TRANSMITS MFA COMMUNIQUE OF MARCH 24 AND ADDS SOME ADDITIONAL COMMENTS.

2. BEGIN TEXT: NOTE NO. 00818/BNG/36. THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM PRESENTS ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE PARTIES TO THE ACT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VIETNAM SIGNED IN PARIS ON 2 MARCH 1973, AND HAS THE HONOUR TO DRAW THEIR PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO THE MINISTRY'S NOTE NO. 652/BNG/35 OF 12 MARCH 1975 IN WHICH THE MINISTRY HAS APPRISED THE PARTIES OF THE EXTREMELY GRAVE SITUATION RESULTING FROM THE MASSIVE AND VIOLENT OFFENSIVE LAUNCHED BY COMMUNIST NORTH VIETNAMESE TROOPS THROUGHOUT THE TERRITORY OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM SINCE 4 MARCH 1975.

3. IN THIS CONNECTION, THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS WISHES TO QUOTE HEREAFTER THE FULL TEXT OF ITS DECLARATION ISSUED IN SAIGON ON 24 MARCH 1975. (HERE FOLLOWS TEXT SENT REFTEL.)

4. (NOTE CONTINUES) THE PRESENT GENERAL OFFENSIVE BY THE COMMUNISTS SHOWS THAT NORTH VIETNAM IS DELIBERATELY PURSUING ITS AVOWED AIM OF SUBJUGATING THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM BY FORCE.

5. IT CONSTITUTES AN UNDENIABLE EVIDENCE OF ITS SCHEME OF TRAMPLING UNDER-FOOT THE NETIRE PARIS AGREEMENT, IN UTTER COMPTEMPT OF WORLD OPINION, IN DEFIANCE OF ALL PEACE-LOVING PEOPLE IN THE WORLD AND PARTICULARLY OF THE OTHER PARTICIPANTS OT THE PARIS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VIETNAM.

6. THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM EARNESTLY APPEALS TO THE PARTIES TO THE ACT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VIETNAM TO TAKE STRONG AND IMMEDIATE MEASURES IN CONFORMITY WITH ARTICLE 7A OF THE ACT, WITH A VIEW TO COPING WITH THE DANGEROUS SITUATION NOW PREVAILING IN SOUTH VIETNAM.

7. THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM  
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AVAILS ITSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY OT RENEW TO THE PARTIES TO THE ACT OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON VIETNAM THE ASSURANCES OF ITS HIGHEST CONSIDERATION. SAIGON, MARCH 29, 1975. END TEXT

8. WOULD BE HELPFUL IF DEPARTMENT COULD INFORM US OF INITIATIVES IT PLANNING.  
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